

Couple: _____

Wedding Date: _____

Rehearsal Date: _____

Pull out Planning Section for Presider

Contact Information													
Bride					Email					Phone			
Groom					Email					Phone			
Presider					Email					Phone			
Church name/city													
Rehearsal date													
Wedding date													
Florist								Photographer					
<i>Worship Aid</i>													
			Yes		No		Quantity						
<i>Musician(s)</i>													
<i>Cantor</i>								Server(s)					
<i>Reader(s)</i>								EMHC(s)					
<i>Usher(s)</i>													

I. The Gathering

If there will be an informal greeting of the congregation and/or special directions about the liturgy, who will do this?		
If there will be a brief music practice, who will lead it?		
Pre-procession music		
Procession Music and Mode of Procession		

Attendants (in order of processing in)	
Women	Men
Flower Girl	Ring Bearer
Maid of Honor	Best Man

II. The Introductory Rite

Entrance Chant

Greeting of the Couple

*Gloria

Collect (chosen by presider)

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III. The Liturgy of the Word

First Reading *(required, should be Old Testament except during Easter season)*

Genesis 1:26-28, 31a	Tobit 7:6-14	Song of Songs 2:8-10, 14, 16a, 8:6-7a
Genesis 2:18-24	Tobit 8:4b-8	Sirach 26:1-4, 13-16
Genesis 24:48-51, 58-67	Proverbs 31:10-13, 19-20, 30-31	Jeremiah 31:31-32a, 33-34a

Responsorial Psalm *(required, consult with musician(s))*

Ps. 33:12 and 18, 20-21, 22	Ps. 112:1bc-2, 3-4, 5-7a, 7bc-8, 9	Ps. 148: 1-2, 3-4, 9-10, 11-13ab, 13c-14a
Ps. 34:2-3, 4-5, 6-7, 8-9	Ps. 128:1-2, 3, 4-5 ac, 6a	
Ps. 103:1-2, 8 & 13, 17-18a	Ps. 145:8-9, 10 & 15, 17-18	

Second Reading *(optional, New Testament)*

Romans 8:31b-35, 37-39	Ephesians 4:1-6	1 Peter 3:1-9
Romans 12:1-2, 9-18 or 12:1-2, 9-13	Ephesians 5:2a, 21-33 or 5:2a, 25-32	1 John 3:18-24
Romans 15:1b-3a, 5-7, 13	Philippians 4:4-9	1 John 4:7-12
1 Corinthians 6:13c-15a, 17-20	Colossians 3:12-17	Revelation 19:1, 5-9a
1 Corinthians 12:31-13:8a	Hebrews 13: 1-4a, 5-6b	

Alleluia and Verse before the Gospel

Gospel *(required, select one)*

Matthew 5: 1-12a	Matthew 22:35-40	John 15:12-16
Matthew 5:13-16	Mark 10:6-9	John 17:20-26 or 17:20-23
Matthew 7:21, 24-29, or 7:21, 24-25	John 2:1-11	
Matthew 19:3-6	John 15:9-12	

Bolded readings speak explicitly of Marriage; at least one of these must be chosen.

Homily

IV. The Rite of Marriage

Address (by presider) and Questions before the Consent

(Name) and (Name), have you come here to enter into Marriage without coercion, freely and wholeheartedly? *(each answer separately)*

Are you prepared, as you follow the path of Marriage, to love and honor each other for as long as you both shall live? *(each answer separately)*

the following question may be omitted if, for example, the couple is advanced in years

Are you prepared to accept children lovingly from God and to bring them up according to the law of Christ and his Church? *(each answer separately)*

Consent (choose one)

#1 I, N., take you, N., to be my wife/husband. I promise to be faithful to you, in good times and in bad, in sickness and in health, to love you and to honor you all the days of my life.
#2 I, N., take you, N., for my lawful wife/husband, to have and to hold, from this day forward, for better, for worse, for richer, for poorer, in sickness and in health, to love and to cherish until death do us part.

Presider may state vows for couple in the form of a question, to which each person responds, "I do."

The Reception of the Consent

Acclamation of Praise may be sung or said here

Blessing and Giving of the Rings

In giving the ring(s), "N., receive this ring as a sign of my love and fidelity. In the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit."

Blessing and Giving of the Arras may take place here.

Hymn or Canticle of Praise may be sung after Rings or Arras.

Universal Prayer (Intercessions)

Composed by:

Read by:

V. The Liturgy of the Eucharist

*The Preparation of the Altar

*Gifts brought

forward by

*Instrumental music of

brief solo (optional)

*Prayer over Offerings (chosen by presider)

*Preface

*Sung Holy, Holy

will be:

*Consecration

*Eucharistic Prayer (chosen by presider)

*Sung Mystery of

Faith will be:

*Sung Great Amen

will be:

VI. The Communion Rite

Our Father

Rite of Blessing and Placing of Lazo or Veil may take place here.

Nuptial Blessing – 3 options (presider encouraged to invite couple input)

Sign of Peace

List those to whom couple will extend
sign of peace:

*Lamb of God

*Holy Communion

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Gluten Intolerance

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Under one form

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Under one form, except bride and groom who will receive under both forms

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Under both forms

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Note if any members of wedding party not receive communion

*Prayer after communion (chosen by presider)

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